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ACTIVITY REPORT

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COMPENDIUM

KEP/HON GAI RAIL LINE
UNDER CONSTRUCTION

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PREFACE

This report is a summary of selected information on transportation, infiltration, and military activity in southeast Asia as identified by NPIC through the cover date. Activity in support of communist forces in Laos, North Vietnam, South Vietnam, and Cambodia is emphasized.

Items are generally numbered and arranged according to location from north to south. Annotated maps of varying scales have been included to assist the reader in locating the item. Selected photographs are included whenever scale and interpretability permit.

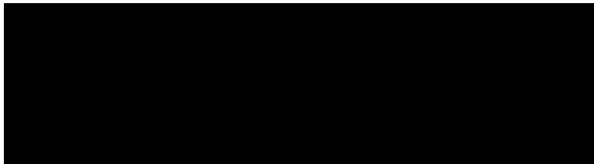
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Kep/Hon Gai Rail Line Under Construction, North Vietnam

A major addition to the North Vietnam railroad network is now under construction between the Kep and Hon Gai areas. From a projected junction with the Ha Noi/Ping-Hsiang rail line, 3.4 nm south of Kep (21-21N 106-16E), the new rail line will extend approximately 60 nm to the easternmost tip of the Ile Aux Buissons (20-57N 107-04E). Approximately 45 percent of the alignment has been ascertained from current intermittent construction.

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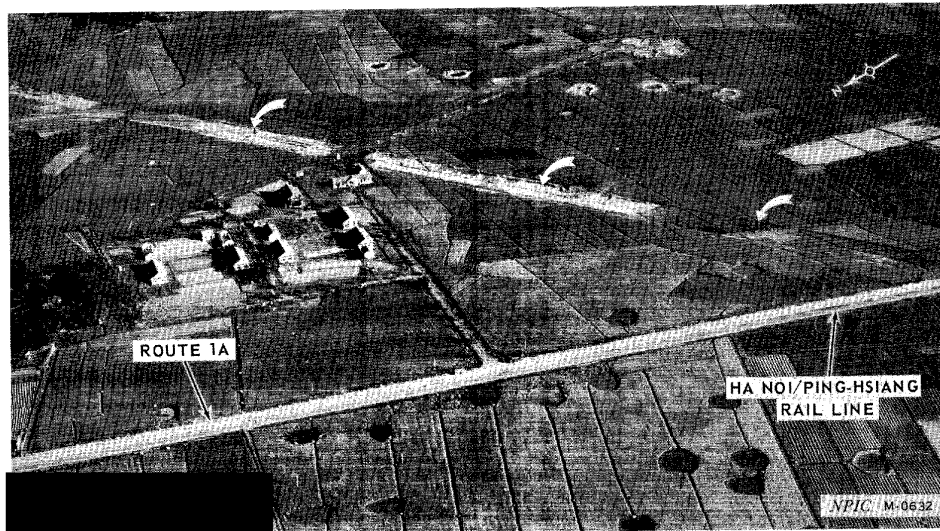
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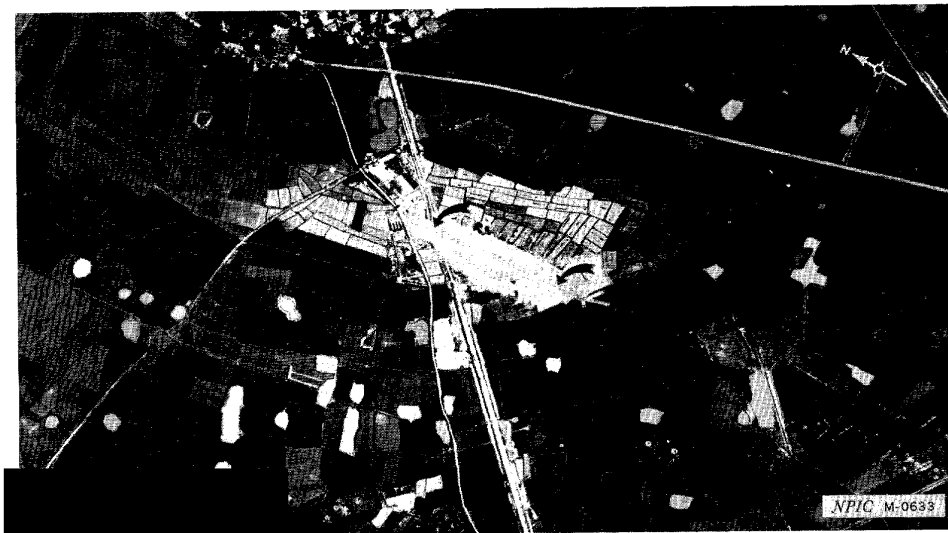
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FIGURE 1. RAILROAD UNDER CONSTRUCTION, KEP AREA, NORTH VIETNAM

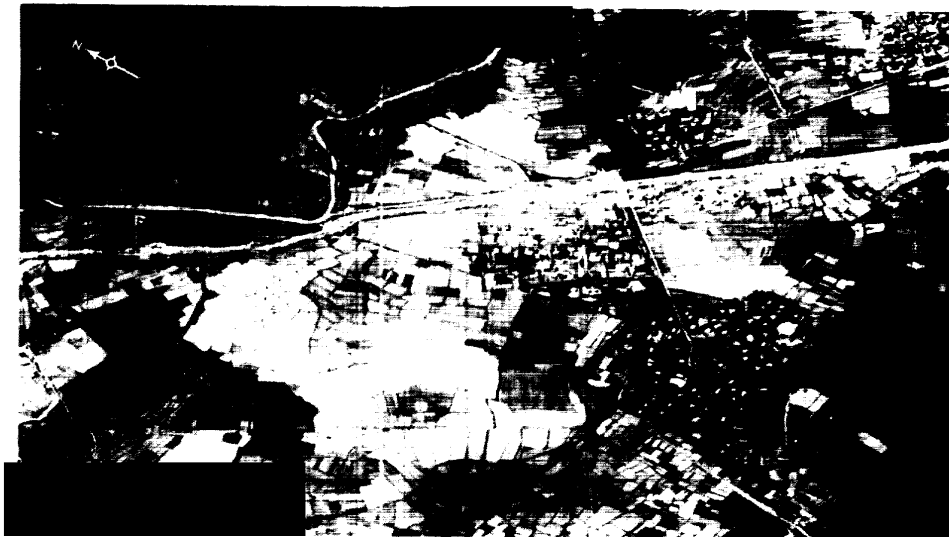


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FIGURE 2. RAILROAD UNDER CONSTRUCTION, THUONG LAM AREA, NORTH VIETNAM

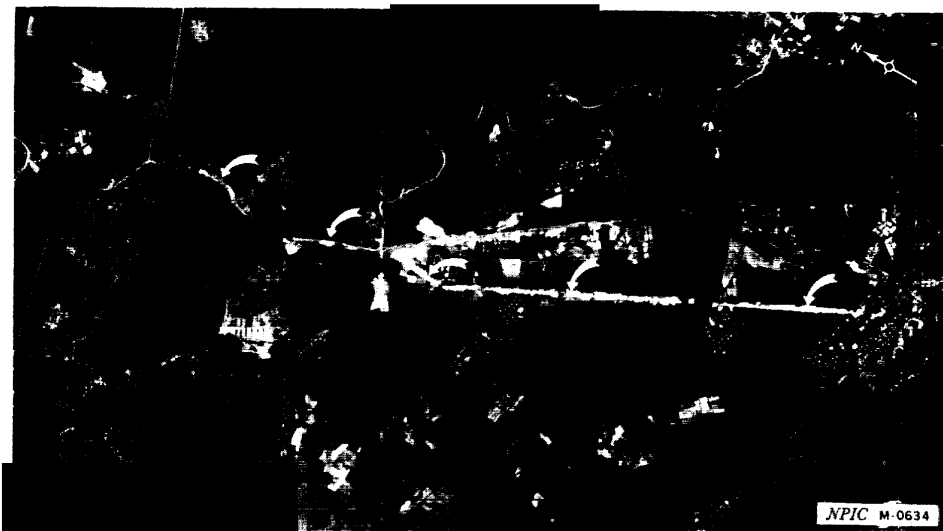
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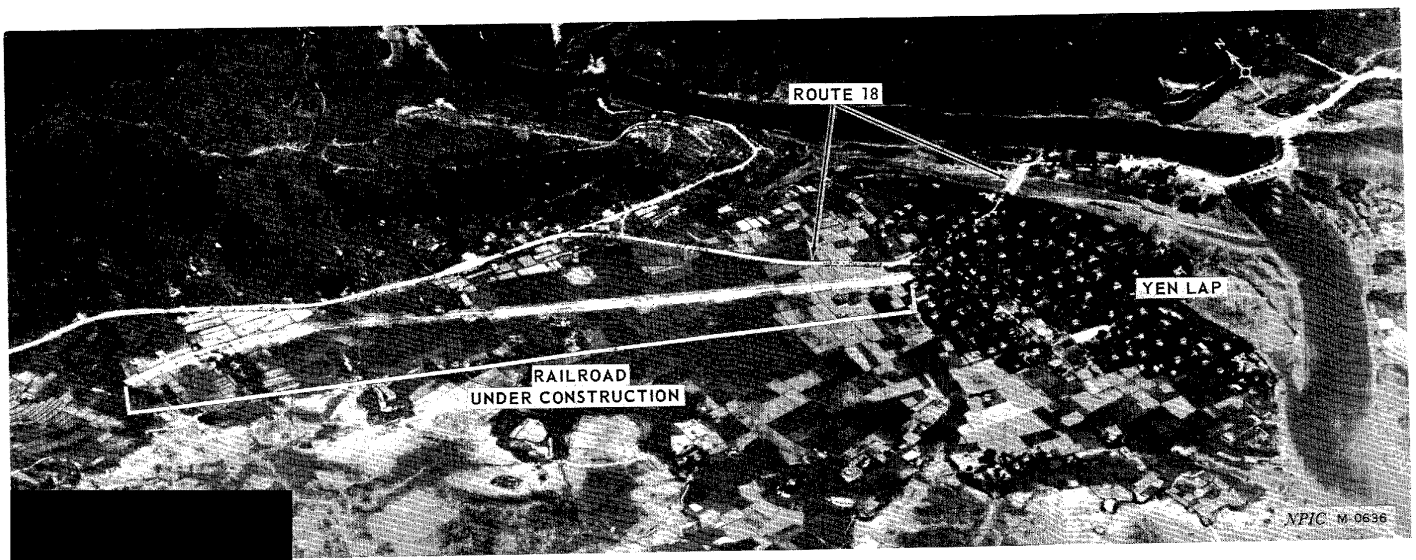
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FIGURE 3. RAILROAD UNDER CONSTRUCTION, LICH SON AREA, NORTH VIETNAM



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FIGURE 4. RAILROAD UNDER CONSTRUCTION, KIM SEN AREA, NORTH VIETNAM



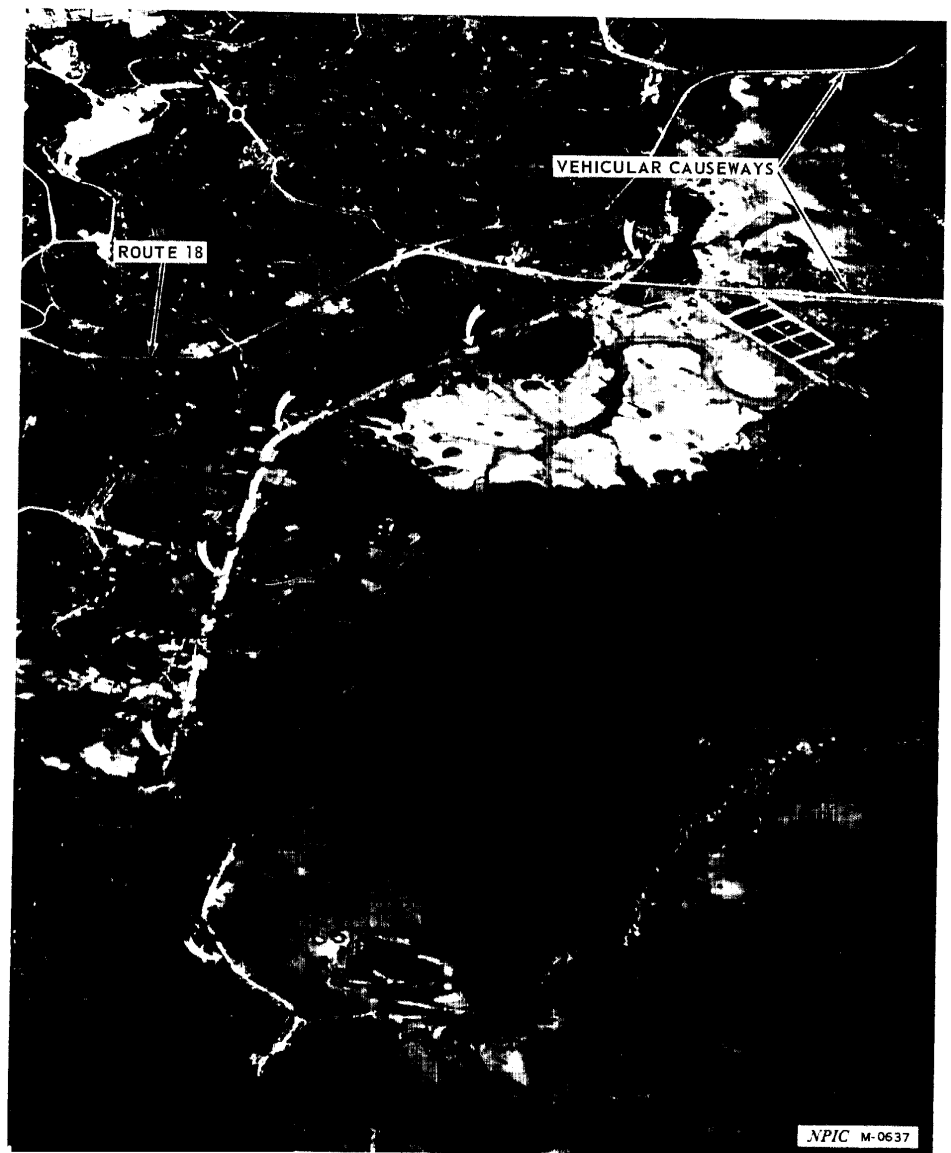
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FIGURE 5. RAILROAD UNDER CONSTRUCTION, YEN LAP AREA, NORTH VIETNAM

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FIGURE 6. RAILROAD UNDER CONSTRUCTION, HON GAI AREA, NORTH VIETNAM

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FIGURE 7. RAILROAD UNDER CONSTRUCTION, YEN LANG AREA, NORTH VIETNAM

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